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Re: Boucher, Jr., *Compounds and Methods for the Treatment of Airway Diseases and for the Delivery of Airway Drugs*
Serial No. 10/087,355, Filed March 1, 2002

Regarding the above-identified application, attached is a Petition and Fee for Extension of Time filed in response to the final Office Action dated August 16, 2005.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three (3) months to respond to the Official Action dated August 16, 2005.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:
 - ☐ is filed herewith.
 - ☒ has been filed, in the form of a continuation application.
3. Applicant:
 - ☐ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
 - ☒ Does not claim small entity status.
4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

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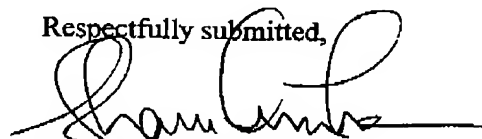
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- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
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- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for this and any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

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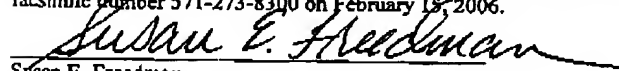


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